



EVERYTHING IS TIED UP

Bay City Traction Laborers Go Out Today.

1600 MEN AFFECTED

Harbor Strike Situation Further Complicated by Traction Walkout.

UNION MEN WANT MORE PAY

Strike is Alleged to be Called Because the Wages are Insufficient and to Secure Discharged Employees Reinstatement

SAN FRANCISCO, July 29.—To add to the complication of the harbor situation in San Francisco and following close upon the heels of a strike of the linemen and electricians on the United Railroads, all laborers and other workmen engaged in construction work on the street railroad system will be called out tomorrow.

The strike will affect about 1600 men who are engaged in rehabilitating the street railroads and changing the cable roads into electric systems. It is alleged by the union that the United Railroads started the trouble by discharging workmen because of their affiliation with, and activity in the Union, and that a strike has been called to enforce the reinstatement of these men and for an increase in wages from \$1.00 and \$2.00 to \$2.50 a day for laborers and \$2.50 to \$3.50 for pavers, and a demand for an eight-hour day, instead of 10.

YESTERDAY'S BASEBALL SCORES

Northwest League.
At Hoquiam—Tacoma 5, Gray's Harbor 2.
At Spokane—Butte 15, Spokane 6.
Pacific Coast League.
At Portland—Portland 4, Seattle 3.
At Oakland—San Francisco 3-0, Los Angeles 7-3 (two games).

THREE ARE DROWNED.

NEW YORK, July 29.—Three of a party of six were drowned in Lake Hopating, N. J., through the capsizing of their craft through the apparent inexperience of the men who had undertaken to handle the boat.

FIVE PERSONS DROWNED.

FULTON, N. Y., July 29.—Five persons were drowned here today during a squall on Lake Neaptawanta, the boat being capsized. They were Mr. and Mrs. Rinoldsten of Westernberg, their two children and the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carsmer Studer.

FIRE THREATENS FORT.

WALLA WALLA, Wash., July 29.—A grass fire at Fort Walla Walla yesterday afternoon at one time threatened to destroy the officers' quarters. By hard work the enlisted men at the post succeeded in keeping the fire away from the buildings, but were unable to extinguish it until nearly the entire flat west of the quarters was burned over. It is supposed the fire was started by a lighted cigar thrown into the grass.

SMALLPOX DYING OU ISTHMUS.

COLON, July 29.—No new case of smallpox has been reported here since July 19. Thirty-five cases and one death have been recorded since July 9. The outbreak is now under control.

ROCKEFELLER NOT WORRIED.

Oil John Not Giving Least Attention to Court Proceedings.

CLEVELAND, July 29.—Neither the proceedings of the government nor the state authorities against the Standard Oil Company are worrying John D. Rockefeller in the slightest. He is not giving them the least attention. This was the emphatic statement today by Dr. H. F. Biggar, physician to, and traveling companion to Rockefeller.

Biggar left Rockefeller in New York Saturday after a six weeks sojourn with Mr. and Mrs. Rockefeller and party, in Northern France. He reached Cleveland today. When he left New York the immediate plans of the Rockefeller's had not been settled.

"Rockefeller and his wife will be at Forest Hill this week I am certain," said Biggar. "They may come tomorrow and it may be on Wednesday."

BURNED TO CRISP.

CHICAGO, July 29.—The body of Mrs. Ernestine Voss was found burned to a crisp in the summer kitchen of her home. An examination of the body revealed 15 pellets of metal near her backbone. Her husband was arrested on suspicion. The couple had frequent quarrels.

TWO YACHTS CAPSIZE

Squall on Hereford Inlet Causes One Death

THIRTY-TWO PEOPLE SAVED

Life-Saving Crew of Five Men Heroically Put Out and Rescue Passengers and Crews of Both Yachts.

ANGELSA, N. J., July 29.—Two yachts coming from the fishing banks, capsized during a squall on Hereford Inlet today and that the loss of life was not greater is due to the heroism of the Hereford Inlet life-saving station crew of five men.

The two boats that got into trouble were the sloop yacht Nora with a crew of two, and thirty passengers on board, and the sloop Alvy B., with twelve on board. They had been fishing on the banks when the weather became threatening and the fishing excursion fleet put back for home. All but the two boats passed over the bar safely. A squall struck the Nora just as she was crossing and as she keeled over a huge wave struck her, turning the boat completely over and throwing the 32 occupants into the water. It was an hour before the life crew, after a desperate battle reached the Nora and just as the savers hove into sight four men loosened their holds and sank into the sea, but after a terrific battle the life crew got them on board and turned to assist the others who were gotten on board under the most difficult circumstances. They were later transferred to another yacht and taken ashore. The Alvy B. was seen to capsize a mile from the spit, later, where the Nora went over, but as several boats were close at hand, all but one of the excursionists were saved.

SHOCKING TRAGEDY.

CANONSBURG, Pa., July 29.—When Samuel Pearse, a well known resident of Washington county returned to his home from a drive tonight he found his wife and two children dead and a third child dying of bullet wounds. Who fired the shots is a mystery. Indications point to the robbery motive. An attempt was also made to burn the house, but Pearse arrived in time to extinguish the blaze started in the bedroom of the Pearse home three miles north of this place. A posse is searching the surrounding country for a strange negro, who is reported to have been seen around the Pearse home.

WASHINGTON IS BOOMING

National Capitol Not in the Least Dull.

BUSY SUMMER SEASON

"Gate Way to the South" Working Hard to Secure Wholesale Trade.

REPRESENTATION DEMANDED

Citizens of the District of Columbia Want Voice in Government, Especially Home Rule—Will Ask Congress

WASHINGTON, July 29 (Special)—In ordinary summers the months of July and August are frightfully, fearfully dull in Washington. The halls of Congress are deserted, the White House is tenanted only by caretakers, members of the diplomatic corps have removed their embassies and legations to the North Atlantic Coast, and the heads of departments have fled from the heated city, leaving subordinates to run the government. Wealth and fashion have departed, and only the toilers remain. Even the toilers toil as little as they may, and no one who can help it stirs abroad when the sun is shining.

Business Boom in Washington.

But this summer it is different. Washington has a business boom. It looks like a sure-enough, genuine boom and one that will be productive of results. The thing has been tried before—tried many times—and has always failed—failed because the real sentiment of the community was not back of it. For many years the attitude of a minority of the influential people has been that Washington was a residential city, in which office-holding and catering to office-holders was the only desirable business. Now, it would seem, a transformation in their way of thinking has been wrought. Wholesale houses are eagerly desired, and even manufacturers, which always have been discouraged, are invited to locate in the environs.

If the mid-summer dream of Washington is realized, the capital may become the commercial center of a large section of the country. It is referred to as the "Gateway of the South," and as its ambition is a progressive one, plans already are under way for the commercial conquest of territory to the north and west. Washington has grown to a city of 300,000 without commerce or industry. With commerce and industry added, it may become a metropolis in fact as well as in theory.

For "City Beautiful"

Along with the movement for a "Greater Washington" commercially, there has come a revival of interest in plans to make it the "City Beautiful" of the world. If as much is accomplished in the next quarter of a century as has been accomplished in the 25 years just past, the American capital will have distanced all its rivals in the race for beauty.

It was only a few years ago that Congress gave scantily and grudgingly to the beautification of Washington. It was as hard then to get a few thousand dollars to pave a street as it is now to secure millions for a project of improvement. During the past five years almost as much money as has been expended and authorized to be expended as has been done in the previous hundred years of the city's history. Not only is the government building and planning beautiful structures of classic design, but private enterprise is doing its full share. A union railroad station, to

cost, with it approaches, about \$14,000,000, is only one of number projects under way. Throughout the city there is everywhere manifested a disposition to build beautifully and substantially; in fact, Washington seems to have something lacked in years gone—civic spirit.

Home Rule Demanded.

With this awakening to a new life, there is heard again the demand of enfranchisement for the inhabitants of the District of Columbia. Washingtonians want a voice in the government, and more especially they want home rule. Next winter there is likely to be a determined effort to secure something of a concession in this line from Congress. The demand probably will be for a seat in the House of Representatives and an elective District government. Even Porto Rico is better treated than the National Capital, for Porto Rico has a "commissioner" who is entitled to the privileges of the floor of both house and Senate. He cannot vote, it is true, nor can the territorial delegates, but it is an undeniable advantage to have a representative on the floor.

MADE PRINTERS WORK.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 29.—Armed men yesterday entered a large printing establishment and forced the printing of 150,000 copies of the Viborg manifesto.

PREACHES ANARCHY

Eugenie Debs Calls on Workingmen to Free Miners.

BY REVOLUTION IF NEED BE

Words of Treason Are Spoken by Socialist Leader at Moyer-Haywood Defense Meeting in St. Louis Yesterday.

ST. LOUIS, July 29.—Eugene V. Debs, former presidential candidate on the socialist ticket, today in a speech at Riverside Park, caused a stir among the workingmen of St. Louis and Illinois when he advised all workingmen in the United States to assist in the freeing of Charles Moyer, W. D. Haywood, and George A. Pettibone, the three Denver miners confined in jail in Idaho, at any cost, even if it took revolution to free them.

"More than a million workingmen in the United States will rise up and demand that these men be liberated," said Mr. Debs. "I will be at the head of this million to insist on liberating them by bloodshed if necessary, but peacefully if possible."

The occasion for the speech made by Debs was a meeting of the Moyer-Haywood defense organization at St. Louis.

BONUS GIVEN TO SAWMILL.

HILLSBORO, Ore., July 29.—The business men of the town have subscribed sufficient money to pay for a site for the Nare, Morgan & Ward sawmill, and the building will be located at the foot of Third street, on the line of the Southern Pacific.

THREATENED STRIKE AVERTED.

SCHENECTADY, July 29.—The threatened strike of the international Brotherhood of Paper Makers is averted. The International Paper Company, whose 32 mills are running day and night, will inaugurate a system of three shifts in 24 hours, instead of two as at present. The employees are to receive practically the same pay per day as under the two-shift plans. About 15,000 employees are affected.

WILL RETIRE THE GUILLOTINE.

PARIS, July 29.—The budget committee is taking up the estimates for 1907 yesterday struck out the salary of M. Diebler, Jr., the Public Executioner, thus foreshadowing the disappearance of the guillotine.

ON VERGE OF REVOLUTION

Battalion of Soldiers at Poltava Mutiny.

ARE FINALLY SUBDUED

Black Sea Mutineers Are Given Heavy Sentences By the Court.

TRAIN ROBBERS SECURE CASH

Holdups on Warsaw-Vienna Railroad Get Away With \$110,000—Steamer Volga's Crew Have Been Arrested for Aiding Robbers.

RUMOR OF TREPOFF'S DEATH

ST. PETERSBURG, July 29.—A rumor has reached the Associated Press, that General Trepoft has been killed. It cannot be confirmed and is probably a revival of a similar rumor last week.

Sentence Mutineers.

POLTAVA, July 29.—There was a grave outbreak in the first battalion of the Svensky regiment following the arrest of a private found in a shed with some other soldiers and revolutionists. Headed by crowds the mutineers proceeded to the military barracks, seized several guns and marched to the prison where the political prisoners were confined. The entire Poltava garrison was called out and a serious fight between the loyal troops and mutineers occurred which resulted in several killed and injured and the capture of the mutineers.

SEBASTOPOL July 29.—The naval court martial today passed sentences upon the seamen arrested for complicity in the mutiny of the Black sea fleet in November, 1905. Four men were condemned to death and one to life servitude, 32 to varying terms of penal servitude, and 50 to imprisonment, six were acquitted. A man named Samekoff, charged with complicity in an attempt with a bomb upon the life of General Nepurff at Sebastopol on May 27, escaped from jail today. He was assisted by a volunteer and disappeared.

Robbers Make Rich Haul.

WARSAW, July 29.—The postal car robbed on the Warsaw-Vienna road near this city on Saturday night contained a package of \$60,000 in cash from abroad and at least \$50,000 in additional funds. The actual amount taken by the robbers cannot yet be definitely stated as the amounts attached to the money parcels are missing. The officers and entire crew of the Volga steamer Kurjer have been arrested on suspicion of plying the steamer at the disposition of the band that held up the train on the Volga railroad last Thursday.

Five Hundred Arrests.

SAMARA, July 29.—Great demonstrations occurred following the receipt of the news of the dissolution of the lower house of parliament. Five hundred arrests were made.

KHARKOV, July 29.—The authorities have seized copies of the Viborg manifesto issued by the outlawed parliament to the weight of 400 pounds, shipped surreptitiously into Kharkov.

RUNS INTO LANDSLIDE.

New York Central Flyer Wrecked and Fireman Killed; Engineer Dying.

FISHKILL LANDING, N. Y., July 29.—Pacific Express train No. 37 on the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, which left the Grand Central Station in New York at 9:32 o'clock tonight was wrecked shortly before midnight a short distance above Chelsea and 11 miles below Poughkeepsie by running into a landslide. The engine of the flyer was thrown from the rails and plunged into the river. Fireman Mills was killed outright and engineer Edward Wells was so badly injured that he will die. Fifteen passengers were seriously injured and a score of others received minor hurts.

MITCHELL JUROR IS INSANE.

SEATTLE, July 29.—Milo O. Rex, one of the jurymen who acquitted George Mitchell on the charge of murdering "Joshua" Creffield, was yesterday found to be insane before Judge Gilliam and was committed to the asylum at Steilacoom. Rex was found to have softening of the brain, caused by a stroke of apoplexy received about a year ago, which left a clot of blood on the brain. Last Wednesday he received another stroke that left him unbalanced mentally.

HE WILL NOT HANG

Hembree Gets Off With Verdict of Manslaughter.

COMPROMISE IS AGREED ON

After An All Night Session the Jury Brings in Compromise Verdict—Hembree Killed His Wife and Daughter.

TILLAMOOK, Ore., July 29 (by telephone)—The jury in the Hembree murder case after being out all night brought in a verdict of manslaughter as a compromise verdict. On the first ballot one of the jurors voted acquittal and after an all night session a compromise was agreed upon.

Hembree was tried for the murder of his wife and daughter. After killing the two women, Hembree set the home on fire to hide the crime and delude inquirers into the belief that they had perished in the flames. But for the finding of some human bones in a cooking stove the crime never would have been discovered. An inquiry was started and Hembree was arrested on circumstantial evidence. The Hembree home was located at Sand Lake and the crime committed on December 28th last. A most unnatural crime involving Hembree and his daughter is believed to have been the motive for the murder.

GORKY IS DENOUNCED.

Bishop McFall Characterizes Him as a Villian and Polluter of Womanhood.

BUFFALO, July 29.—The fifth annual convention of the American Federation of Catholic societies opened here today. Bishop McFall spoke against the evils of socialism and divorce. "The stability of this nation rests upon the American home," he said.

"Socialism would stretch out her foul hands upon the property of our people. Look at Maxim Gorky, the Russian. See him living with a woman who cannot be recognized as his wife. That villian and scoundrel and polluter of womanhood would preach to us the gospel of human liberty."

WILL STRIKE SOON.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 29.—A plenary meeting of the St. Petersburg council of workmen's deputies representing 130,000 workmen, was held today at Terieki, a little town across the Finnish border, now the mecca of all opponents of the government. The members agreed that a general strike at the present moment would be untimely. It will be declared later however.